

REMARKS

Applicant wishes to thank the Examiner for the notice that claims 8-14, 20-25, 30 and 31 are allowed and that claims 3-6 and 17-19 would be allowable. Applicant's attorney also wishes to thank the Examiner for the courtesies extended during the two telephone conferences, including the telephone conference of November 8, 2005. As discussed, Applicant's previous amendment included in inadvertent cancellation of independent claims 1 and 15, but the argument section included arguments indicating the claims were not intended to be canceled. Claims 3 and 17 are allowable if written in independent form. Applicant has amended claims 3 and 17 to be in independent form. Accordingly, the claims are in proper form for allowance.

The examiner is invited to contact the below-listed attorney if the examiner believes that a telephone conference will advance the prosecution of this Application.

Respectfully submitted,

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